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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction dated February 27, 2002, Applicant elects, with traverse, Group II, consisting of Claims 24-35, 64, 86-87, drawn to the polypeptide of SEQ. ID. NO: 4 and a preparation comprising said polypeptide, classified in class 435, subclass 208.

Respectfully submitted,

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